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REMARKS

Applicant respectfully requests that the foregoing amendments to Claims 3, 4, 6 and 7 and new Claims 10-17 be entered in order to avoid this application incurring a surcharge for the presence of one or more multiple dependent claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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3. (Amended) A radio base station apparatus according to Claim 1 [or 2], wherein said radio unit comprises a plurality of transmitting units.

4. (Amended) A radio base station apparatus according to [any one of Claims 1 to 3] Claim 1, wherein said receiving unit in the one sector is connected to said antenna in the other sector via antenna sharing equipment.

6. (Amended) A radio base station apparatus according to [any one of Claims 1 to 5] Claim 1, wherein said transmitting unit is connected to the antenna via a mixer and antenna sharing equipment.

7. (Amended) A radio base station apparatus according to Claim 5 [or 6], further comprising a plurality of the baseband signal processing units.